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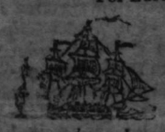
*** *No Subscription will be received for a shorter term than six months.*

JOHN MILLER, Junr.
No. 80 Dock, near Third street,
HAS FOR SALE,
Cossaes,
Mamoodies,
Taffaties,
Striped Doreas,
Tangibs,
Putna and
Santipoor Handkerchiefs.

The foregoing will be sold very low in order to close sales.

Also,
A FEW PACKAGES OF
German Goods,
Suitable to the West India Market;
Received by the Fair American from Hamburgh.
October 25.

For FREIGHT *or* CHARTER,
For Europe or the West Indies,
THE SHIP

PACIFIC,
PERKINS SALTER, Master,
She is a staunch good Ship, well fitted, burthen about 3000 barrels, and ready to receive a cargo on board.

☞ For terms apply to
WHARTON and LEWIS,
No. 115 South Front street,
WHO HAVE FOR SALE,
A parcel of Havanna Molasses,
Old Madeira Wine,
Ground Ginger,
Burlington Pork, &c. &c.
November 21. *dtf*

A Quantity of Dry Goods
ARE WANTED,
FOR which real Estate in the Northern Liberties of this city, (a good Stand for Business) will be given in payment; the title is clear and good, and is now for a short time let, but possession will be given in about six months.
☞ Enquire at the Office of this Gazette.
December 17 eotf

ROSS AND SIMSON,
HAVE FOR SALE,
3000 pieces 1st and 2d quality Russia Duck,
100 pieces Ravens Duck (superior)
Boston Beef in Barrels,
A few bales Bengal { COSSAS / HUMHUMS.
2100 bushels St. Martins Salt.
april 11 §

TO BE SOLD BY
JESSE & ROBERT WALN.
Old Port Wine, in pipes, hhds. and qr. casks,
Also Landing at their Wharf
From on board the ship Edward from Lisbon.
Lisbon Wine, in pipes and qr. casks.
june 25 §

Bank of North America.

THE STOCKHOLDERS
ARE hereby notified that an Election for Twelve Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at the Bank, on Monday the 13th January next, at 10 o'clock.
RICHARD WELLS, *Cashier.*
Dec. 2, 1799. *dtE*

CANAL OFFICE,
November 28, 1799.

Notice is hereby given,

TO the Stockholders of the *Delaware* and *Schuylkill*, and *Susquehanna* and *Schuylkill* Canal companies; that their annual Election will be held at the Companies Office, on Monday the 6th of January next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of Electing *One* President, *Twelve* Managers and *One* Treasurer to each Company, for the ensuing year.
GEORGE WORRALL, *Secretary.*
November 29 mt6th

To the Holders of
MILITARY LAND WARRANTS.

THE Subscriber having lately returned from viewing the land, surveyed and appropriated to satisfy the land warrants, issued by the Secretary at war, to the officers and soldiers of the late continental army; and having made arrangements with Mr. James Johnson, of Chester county, Pennsylvania, who he left on the land, and who with the assistance of an intelligent inhabitant of that county, will spend five months in exploring the different sections. He will take regular notes, descriptive of the soil, situation, and natural advantages attached to each section in the whole survey—which notes will be placed in the hands of the subscriber previous to the period for locating, thereby enabling him to make the most advantageous locations the priority will admit.

He offers his service to the holders of land warrants of the above description, throughout the United States, to receive their warrants, class them, (as no less quantity than 4000 acres will be registerd at the office of the treasury) have them registered agreeable to law, and attend to make the location at the the time appointed in February next.

For transacting the business, one tenth part of the land specified in the warrants will be required, and no other charge, except the postage of letters. All warrants forwarded and letters addressed to the subscriber, at No. 3, Penn-street, Philadelphia, will receive immediate attention.
JAMES E. SMITH.
September 2 mwftf.

DANCING.

Mr. FRANCIS
OF THE NEW THEATRE,
RESPECTFULLY informs his scholars and the public in general, that he will re-commence Teaching on TUESDAY the 24th instant, at the Assembly Room, South Fourth Street.
Days of tuition, Tuesdays and Thursdays.
TERMS,
Five Dollars per Month,
Ten do. per Quarter,
No Entrance.
☞ For further Particulars apply to Mr. F. 70, north Eighth street.
December 21.

LANDING
At Wilcock's wharf from the schr. Lively, capt. Godfrey, from Halifax,
325 Barrels, 80 half Barrels } *fine pickled* Salmon
20 Barrels do. Shad
11 do. do. Mackrael
FOR SALE BY
NICKLIN & GRIFFITH.
N. B. There are some Goods on Freight on board the above schooner, the names of the consignees of which are not mentioned, they are requested to make immediate entry of the same, otherwise they will be sent to the custom house as the vessel must be discharged without loss of time.
Dec. 16. dtf

CARD.

THE Subscriber returns his thanks to his fellow citizens for their exertions to save his property at the fire on Tuesday last. If any property of his is in their care, information of it will be thankfully received at No. 65 Dock-street.
JAMES O'ELLERS.
December 19.

UNSEATED LANDS.

THE owners of Unseated Lands in Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, are hereby notified, that unless the Taxes due on said Lands for the Years 1795, 1796, 1797, and 1798 are paid into the hands of JOHN WILKINS, Esquire, County Treasurer, on or before the 20th day of February next, they will be advertised for sale as the law directs.
Ebenezer Denny, William Dunning, James Robinson, } *Commissioners.*
Pittsburgh, November 5, 1799. 3m.

NOTICE
TO the owners of unseated lands in the county of Huntingdon, to come forward and pay the taxes assessed and due thereon, within three months from this date, there being one or more years taxes due on the unseated lands in the said county of Huntingdon.
WILLIAM STEEL, HUGH MORRISON, JOHN STEEL, } Commissioners.
Huntingdon, Commissioners Office, Sept. 25, 1799. }
October 4. d3m.

TAKE NOTICE,
THAT application is made to the Bank of the United States, for the renewal of the following certificates of Bank stock, which were lost in the brig Paggy, Captain Fluyer, on her passage from America to London.
No. 2959, 2962, 2967 } For Eight Shares of Bank Stock in favour of Samuel Ethridge.
WILLINGS & FRANCIS.
October 25, d3m.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the Estate of JACOB THOMAS, of Washington in the State of Kentucky, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment—All persons having demands against said estate are desired to furnish their accounts legally attested to
JACOB REESE,
Administrator.
Philadelphia, October 31, 1799.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of THOMAS WILSON, late of Southwark, deceased, are are requested to make immediate payment to the subscribers, and those who have any demands against the said estate are requested to furnish their accounts for settlement.
SARAH WILSON, *Administratrix.*
JOEL W. WILSON, *Administrator.*
No. 295, south Front-street, Southwark.
WHO HAS TO LET,
A BRICK STABLE,
Sufficiently large to contain nine Horses.
ALSO,
For Sale or to Let,
A New FRAME CARRIAGE HOUSE.
Nov. 1, 1799. dtf.

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN AWAY on Saturday evening the 13th July instant, from Colebrook Furnace, Lancaster county, a Negro Man named *Cato*, he is about 40 years of age, five feet six or seven inches high, tolerable black, with a down ill look, squints, he is a cunning artful fellow, a great liar, and very fond of strong liquor, has been brought up to the farming business, is very handy at any kind of laboring work; he took with him a number of clothing, amongst which were, one suit plain Nankeen; (some money). It is expected he has shaped his course for Philadelphia or New York.
† The above reward will be paid for securing him in any gaol in the United States, with reasonable charges if brought home.
SAMUEL JACOBS.
Colebrook Furnace, July 16, 1799:
(O18) d6m

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP
OF
THOMAS AND JOHN KETLAND
Being Dissolved,
By the death of Mr. JOHN KETLAND,
ALL persons who have demands against said Firm are requested to bring in their accounts for payment, and those indebted to the same are solicited to make payment to
THOMAS KETLAND.
October 21.

Just Imported,
135 Hogsheads, 191 barrels, } Prime SUGAR.
50 do. Green Coffee,
25 Boxes brown, 25 do. white, } Havannah SUGAR.
12 hhds. James' River Tobacco,
30 Packages well assorted German Linens
Russia Cordage, assorted,
400 Pipes Barcelona Brandy, 4th proof,
Hazlenuts in sacks,
Brown Stout Porter, draught and bottled,
40 Casks Shot, No. 1 to 6,
Lead in Pigs,
8 hhds. ground Lead, assorted
4 Casks Glauber Salts, Cream Tartar, &c.
Black quart wine bottles in crates, 1 groce each,
Queens ware in Crates,
Cannon, 4, 6, and 9 pounds calibre, with shot, round, grape and cannister,
Swivels,
Corks in bales, 1st quality,
ditto in sheets,
Claret in cases, superior quality.
Port Wine, ditto.
Horsemen's Swords, Hangers, &c.
Fowling pieces and pistols in cases,
Ship Musquets and Blunderbusses, in do.
Bath stove Grates, for chambers, &c, &c.
FOR SALE BY
THOMAS KETLAND,
Walnut Street wharf:
Nov. 1 dtf

MADEIRA WINE,
Of an excellent Quality and good Age,
TO BE SOLD,
By the pipe, quarter cask or less quantity.
No. 107 South Second Street.
December 21 dtm

JOSEPH D. DRINKER
BEGS leave to inform his friends and the public that he has taken into partnership DANIEL BARTOW.
Their Mercantile Concerns will, in consequence, be conducted under the firm of
DRINKER AND BARTOW,
Who have just imported,
per the West Point, arrived at New York, the Amiable Creole, and other late arrivals at this port from Hamburg,
A VARIETY OF
GERMAN GOODS,
Consisting of the following Articles, viz. (*In small packages, entitled to Drawback.*)
Ticklenburghs,
Creas, a la Morlaix,
Dowlass, 3-4, 7-8, 4-4 & 9-8ths wide
Flanders Sheetings,
Silesia ditto,
Rouan ditto,
Brown and white Platillas,
Britanias,
Weissgarnige Linens,
7-8 & 4-4 Silesia Sheetings, assorted,
Diaper and Damask Table Cloths,
Clouting Diapers,
Diaper Zwillich,
Oil Cloths,
Glass Tumblers, Quarts, Pints and Half Pints,
ALSO,
Per the Eliza from London,
Russia Sheetings,
Ravens Duck,
Men, Women and Children's Welsh yarn Hose.
All which they offer for sale at their Store, No. 61 North Front Street, either by the package or smaller quantity, at the most reasonable rates, for cash or notes at short date.
November 20. 2taw6w

TO BE SOLD FOR CASH,
OR EXCHANGED,
For property in the City, or within thirty miles of it,
A PLANTATION or tract of Land in Mifflin County and State of Pennsylvania, within six miles of the river Juniata, containing about 300 acres. There are about fifty acres cleared, part of which is a rich bottom, watered by a constant stream that is strong enough to work an oil or a grist mill. Any person inclining to deal for it, may obtain further information by applying at the office of this gazette.
N. B. If sold, credit will be given for part of the money.
October 17, 1799. dtf.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY from Spring Forge, in York County, a negro man, named *ISAAC*, otherwise *CUDJO*, about 21 years old, the property of Robert Coleman, Esq. He is about 5 feet 8 inches high, has a blemish in his eyes, more white in them than common, by trade a Forge man; had on and took with him a drab coloured broad cloth coat, almost new, a sailors jacket and pantaloons printed fancy cord, a swansdown striped under jacket; a rorum hat; one fine and one coarse shirt one muslin handkerchief, sprigged, two ditto striped border, a blue Persian under jacket and two pair cotton stockings. Whoever takes up said negro and lodges him in any jail in this or any of the neighbouring states shall have the above reward or reasonable expences if brought home.
JOHN BRIEN.
Spring Forge, October 23, 1799.
N. B. As said negro formerly lived in Chester county, it is probable he may return there.
November 5

Now Ready for Sale,
At GEORGE DAVIS's
Law Book Store,
No. 319, HIGH STREET,
A very valuable and extensive Assortment of
Law Books,
IMPORTED this fall and immediately before the late sickness, comprehending almost every Book in use, of the latest London and Irish editions. They will be disposed of from a single volume, to an entire Library at the same prices as have heretofore given such general satisfaction.
By sundry vessels daily expected from London and Dublin, his stock will as usual be kept up, so that gentlemen will seldom be disappointed when applying at his store.
N. B. This day is published, Davis's Law Catalogue for 1799, of books for sale, which may be had gratis, on application as above.
November 8 tuth&s2m

FOR SALE,
By JOSEPH & JAMES CRUKSHANK,
No. 87 High Street Philadelphia,
A FEW COPIES
OF THE
HARLEIAN MISCELLANY,
BEING a Selection of Tracts which principally regard the English History, and of which many are referred to by Hume. The scarcity and high price of the Harleian Miscellany, induced the editor to offer the present abridgement to the public, which is composed of a narration of those highly interesting events which have occurred in the History of England, and which are chiefly arranged in chronological order.
The volume contains in quantity one sixth of the original work, and the price of it is one guinea, being only one twelfth of what the original book now sells for
November 21. 3tawam

Philadelphia & Lancaster Turnpike Company.

December 12, 1799.
NOTICE.
THE Stockholders are to meet at their Office, at 10 o'clock, on Monday the 13th January next, to choose their officers agreeable to law.
Wm. GOVETT, Secretary.
December 12. m&f.4w.

BANK OF THE UNITED STATES.
November 15, 1799.
NOTICE.
THE STOCKHOLDERS of the Bank of the United States are informed, that according to the Statute of Incorparation, a General Election for twenty-five Directors will be held at the Bank of the United States in the City of Philadelphia, on Monday the 6th of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
And pursuant to the eleventh section of the bye-laws, the Stockholders of the said Bank are also notified to assemble in general meeting, at the same place, on Tuesday the 7th of January next, at six o'clock in the evening.
G. SIMPSON, Cashier.

Second Fundamental Article.
Not more than three fourths of the Directors in office, exclusive of the President shall be eligible for the next ensuing year, but the Director who shall be President at the time of an election, may always be re-elected.
November 15 eFtE

One Thousand Five Hundred
DOLLARS
WAS delivered to the POSTMASTER here, in the POST-OFFICE, on the evening of Tuesday the 27th ult. in a LETTER directed to Mr. *John Mills*, Merchant, BALTIMORE, containing two *ALEXANDRIA BANK NOTES*, No. 4320, in favour of *William Taylor*, and dated 30th *April*, 1798, for ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS, and No. 4522, in favour of *John P. Pleasants*, and dated the 10th of *December*, 1798, for FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS; which letter has been SUPPRESSED in a POST-OFFICE, and the BANK NOTES taken out——as the PUBLIC MAIL was not STOPPED, MOLESTED, or ROBBED.
Bankers and merchants are particularly requested to watch the circulation of said notes, and stop them; and any person giving such information as will lead us to our money, shall have FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS reward.
WILSON & SWANN.
Fredericksburg, (Virg.) Sept. 10.
☞ All Printers in the United States, are requested to publish the above, and we will pay them.

TWO or three Gentlemen with their servants, may be accommodated with Lodgings and Breakfast, and two furnished rooms, at No. 83 north Fifth Street.
November 27. w&stf

Lodging and Breakfast,
FOR one or two single Gentlemen, in a genteel private family, with the use of a neat front Parlour, and Board for Servants may be had at No. 28 north Fifth street.
November 26.

Three Cents Reward.
RUN away from the Subscriber on the evening of the 28th inst. a bound Servant GIRL, named Elizabeth Mowekel, had on and took with her three different changes of garment and money, proud, bold and impudent, a noted lyar; any person apprehending her shall be entitled to the above reward—no costs or charges will be paid.
N. B. She had 2 years and some months to serve
DANIEL FITZPATRICK.
Goshen Township, Chester County, July 29.
august 6 1awtf

TERMS
Of Richard Folwell, in Philadelphia,
FOR SUBSCRIBING TO THE
JOURNALS OF CONGRESS,
FROM THE COMMENCEMENT
Of the American War, in 1774, to the present time,
INCLUDING
The Reports of Heads of Departments, of Committees, and other Official and Private Papers of that Body, now first permitted to be made public.
TERMS.
THE work will be printed on a fine paper, and a new neat type, in large octavo.
Each volume will contain above 500 pages, neatly bound and lettered.
Uniformity in size, paper, and binding, will be observed throughout the work; so that, while the subscribers become possessed of a valuable record, an ornament may be added to their libraries.
The price to subscribers will be 2 dolls. 75 cts. per volume, in boards, and 3 dolls. whole bound, but, as the publisher does not intend to print many more than the number subscribed for, a considerable rise on the price may be expected to non-subscribers.
Each volume will contain about one third less of letter-press than the original edition; but, as the publisher is not yet enabled to determine the exact of the Private Journals, which he may be allowed to make public, he cannot ascertain the number of volumes which will comprise the work.
☞ *Payments to be made on delivery of each volume.*
Subscribers will have it at their option, either to subscribe for the whole of the Journals, up to the present time, or to those only of the Old Congress prior to the organization of the Federal Government.

IN all countries, the proceedings in the commencement of their governments, are lost in darkness and obscurity, owing to a carelessness, in the succeeding generation, to preserve the public records, and the attention of the nation, in these rude ages, being called off from their domestic concerns, to engage in wars and conquest. Of what infinite value would the laws of Alfred be, had they been transmitted to our days? Time, that destroys every thing, enhances the value of well authenticated public records, and renders them almost inestimable. It is hoped, that Americans will, therefore, chearfully contribute their assistance in transmitting to posterity the labours of their ancestors—founders of the Columbian nation.
*** The work will certainly be advanced with expedition and promptitude. The following will show the support it has already acquired:
"*Philadelphia, June 15, 1798.*
"To the Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States.
"The MEMORIAL of the Subscribers, Citizens, &c. of Philadelphia,
"*Respectfully sheweth,*
"That having, in our respective avocations, frequent occasions to recur to the Journals of Congress, we experience inconvenience by the scarcity of them: That we understand that Richard Folwell, printer, of Philadelphia, has had it in contemplation to print that public record; and that he hath obtained partial countenance from many individuals; but that he has delayed prosecuting the work, in expectation of encouragement from government, that may adequately indemnify him. We, therefore, respectfully solicit, as the publication is necessary to be disseminated among public bodies, that Congress will, in their wisdom render him such additional encouragement, to that which he has obtained from private individuals, as to enable him to proceed with the work, so that your Memorialists may be enabled to purchase copies of that record for themselves.
Thomas M'Kean, John D. Coxe, Charles Heatly, Samson Levy, T. Rose, Wm. Moore Smith, John Read jun. William Tilghman, John F. Mifflin, Joseph B. M'Kean, John Beckly, W. Sergeant, John Thompson, Jared Ingersoll, Jasper Moylan, William Rawle, J. Thomas, William Levis, James Gibson, M. Keppele, Moses Levy, Robert Porter, George Davis, John Hallowell, James Olden, Walter Franklin, James Minor, John C. Wells John L. Leib, Alexander J. Dallas, Joseph Reed, Thomas Willing, Samuel M Fox, John Nixon, Robert Wain Robert H. Dunkin, John Ewing, Jun. Edward Pennington, Hilary Baker, William Nichols, William Young, Robert Campbell Septimus, Claypoole James Cruikshank, Mathew Carey, Henry K. Helmuth, Peter De Haven, John Dinlap, Edward Shoemaker, John R. Smith, William Hall, David C. Claypoole, Thomas Armstrong, Samuel H. Smith, John Fenno.
"True copy from the original Memorial, presented to the House of Representatives of the United States, on Monday, the 18th of June 1798:
"WILLIAM LAMBERT, for
"JONATHAN W. CONDY, CLERK."
"RESOLVED by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Representatives, be authorized and directed, to subscribe, on such terms as they may deem eligible, for the use of the Senate and House of Representatives, for four hundred Copies of the Journals of Congress, which are proposed to be published by Richard Folwell and such number of copies of deficient volumes of the sets now in print, as may be necessary to complete the same.
JONATHAN DAYTON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
JAMES ROSS,
President of the Senate pro tempore.
Approved, March 2d, 1799.
JOHN ADAMS,
President of the United States.
may 20. 1awtf

AT a Court of Common Pleas held at Union Town, for the county of Fayette, the fourth Monday of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine, before the Judges of the same court, on the petition of John Willson, praying that the act of Assembly, providing that the person of a debtor shall not be liable to imprisonment for debt after delivering up his estate for the use of his creditors, may be extended to him. The Court appoint the first day of next term, to hear the petitioner and his creditors, and order that he give his creditors public notice hereof, in Fenno's Philadelphia paper, and in Yundt and Brown's Baltimore paper, for one week, ending at least four weeks before the day of hearing; and that he also give to John Gillespie and Jacob Everhart personal notice in writing, to be served on them, at least fifteen days previous to the hearing. At September term, this order was continued to the first day of December term.
By the Court,
EPHRAIM DOUGLASS,
Prothonotary.

Foreign Intelligence.

RATISBON, September 19.

On the 18th the diet published the opinion of the empire, on the renewal of the war and the duties of its members in furnishing their contingents and granting the Roman months, which is in substance as follows.

"After due consideration of the Imperial decree of commission of the 17th of July, it was resolved to return thanks to his Imperial majesty for his paternal care and protection; that the empire in general was fully convinced of the necessity of recommencing the war, in consequence of the hostilities of the French, carried on even during the negociations at Rastadt; and that therefore a due observance of those regulations, which were found necessary since the beginning of the war, ought again to take place, by which all members of the empire were bound to give all assistance in their power to defend their country; to renounce all private views and to make every necessary sacrifice, that they should furnish their quintuple contingents, in such a manner as to be able to repel and ward off every attack of the enemy. To obtain this great object, the empire should grant 100 Roman months, to defray the expences of war; payable at three different periods, of six weeks each, commencing from the day of the publication of the Imperial ratification."

September 22.

On concluding the deliberations of the diet, the elector of Brunswick, as has already been stated, kept the journals open, without wishing, however, to prevent a conclusum, which afterwards took place, before the instructions of the ambassador had arrived, and which he could not, therefore, enter upon the journals, but communicated them to the diet, by addressing it nearly in the following manner:—"The situation of his majesty's possessions in Germany was such in the present state of affairs, as to be exposed to an invasion from different quarters, and at such a distance from the army of the empire, that they could not well be protected and defended by it; his majesty had therefore, been obliged to take a step, sanctioned by the constitution of the empire, namely, to employ his contingent, and every thing connected with it, along with others of his troops, for the protection and security of his states, and those of other members of the empire, in the circles of lower Saxony, the lower Rhine, and Westphalia, and thus to secure a considerable part of the German empire, for the good of the whole, against all danger with which they were threatened by the enemy. His majesty being still in the same situation, he is nevertheless, not inclined to neglect his other duties as a member of the German empire."

FRANKFORT, September 28.

The force of the army in Switzerland, which is opposed to Massena's army, is estimated at 100,000 men, including the troops under general Nauendorf and the Russians which are on their march from Italy; the Italian army under Melas, which is now joined by the corps of Bellegarde and Haddick, is stated to amount to 70,000 men.

CINCINNATI.

At a meeting of the Pennsylvania State Society of the Cincinnati, held at the State House, in Philadelphia, on the 21st of December, 1799,

BRIGADIER GEN. MACPHERSON

IN THE CHAIR,

The following Resolutions were moved by Major JACKSON, and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That, in veneration of the exalted virtues, patriotism, and public services of our late most excellent, beloved, and ever to be lamented President General, George Washington,—and as a tribute of the deepest sorrow, and most affectionate attachment to his endeared and illustrious memory, the Members of this Society will wear mourning, connected with the Badge of the Society, during six months.

Resolved, That a strip of black Ribband passing along the centre of the Ribband of the Order, be added on this occasion.

The following resolutions were moved by gen. Macpherson and unanimously adopted.

Resolved, That Major Jackson be requested to prepare and pronounce an Eulogium on the character of General Washington, embracing a summary review of his Civil and Military services; and that the same be delivered before this Society on Saturday the 22d day of February next, at one o'clock, P. M. at such place as the Standing Committee to whom the arrangements of the day are referred, shall determine.

Resolved, That the President of the United States and his family—the Vice President of the United States, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Members of both Houses of Congress, the Heads of Departments, the Judiciary, and such other officers of the General and State Governments as may then be in Philadelphia, be respectfully invited to honor the Society with their presence on the occasion.

December 21. 2aw3w&dtf

THE STOCKHOLDERS

Of the Lehigh Coal Mine Company, are hereby notified, that an Election for one President, eight Managers and one Treasurer, for the ensuing year, will be held at the house of Mr. Cammeron, sign of the Golden Swan, in Third street, on Monday, the 20th of January next, at 6 o'clock in the evening.

ISAAC WAMPOLE, *Sec'ry.*

Dec. 31. 1awtE.

LANDING,

From on board the brig Hetty, John Vanneman, Master, from Gonaives, at the Subscribers wharf,

15 Hogsheads
21 Tierces
80 Barrels
566 bags

} Prime Green COFFEE.

About 3 tons of Logwood and 100 Hides for sale by

ELLISTON & JOHN PEROT.

Also for Sale,

THE SAID BRIG,

AS she came from Sea—Burthen as per Register, 199 tons, sails fast and has made but one voyage.

December 24. eotw.

BANK OF PENNSYLVANIA,

January 1, 1800.

THE Directors have this day declared a Dividend of eighteen dollars on each share of Bank Stock, for the last six months, which will be paid to the Stockholders or their legal Representatives, after the 11th inst.

By order of the Board,

JONA. SMITH, *Cashier.*

dtr11th.

BANK OF NORTH AMERICA,

January 1, 1800.

AT a meeting of the Directors this day, a Dividend of 5 per cent. was declared for the last half year, which will be paid to the Stockholders or their legal Representatives, at any time after the 10th inst.

By order of the Board,

RICHARD WELLS, Cashier.

dt10th.

KEARNY WHARTON,

Has Removed his Counting-House to

Morton's Wharf,

AND HAS FOR SALE

CORN MEAL,

In hogsheads & barrels.

ALSO,

French Brandy,
Madeira Wine, *and an*
Invoice of India Silk.

Phila. Jan. 1, 1800. d6t

LOTS

In the City of Washington.

A NUMBER of Lots in the city of Washington, the titles of which are unquestionable, their situations various, some pretty contiguous to the Capitol, are offered

FOR SALE.

For viewing the Plots and for terms, apply to

Ponsal & Shoemaker,

No. 124, south Fourth street.

Phila. Jan. 1, 1800. ¶eo8t

BUILDING LOTS.

To be Sold or Let, on Ground Rent,

FOUR LOTS of 25 feet 3 inches each front on Chesnut street, and 130 feet deep to a 16 feet Alley, being the same ground on which O'Ellers hotel stood.

Also, FIVE LOTS on George Street, of 1 feet front, and 90 feet deep to a 16 feet Alley.

*** For terms enquire of *Thomas Billington*, opposite the City Tavern, or *Robert Kid*, Market Street,

January 1, 1800. co2w

NOTICE 44.

THE Co-partnership of GEORGE, WILLIAM and THOMAS BOWEN or his wife is dissolved. All persons indebted to the Estate of their deceased Father, are desired to make speedy payment. Those who have any demands against the aforesaid Estate, are requested to produce Accounts, otherwise they will be placed in the hands of an Attorney.

December 26. co1w

Public Notice,

IS Hereby Given, that I have applied by petition to the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Cumberland county, for the benefit of the act of Assembly made for the relief of Insolvent Debtors, passed the fourth day of April, 1798, and the said Court have appointed the first Monday of January next at the Court House in the borough of Carlisle for a hearing of me and my creditors, at which time and place they may attend if they think proper.

ANDRÆW CULBERTSON.

December 6. 2awtIJ.

For Sale, or to Let,

A two story Brick House,

Situate on Duke street, or Artillery lane, in the Northern Liberties,

HAVING two rooms on a floor, fire places in each, a kitchen and wash house; all in excellent order and built of the best materials. For further information inquire at No. 39, Arch street.

Also, a HOUSE, No. 106, south Second street, to let—enquire as above.

Dec. 30. 2aw.6w.

TO BE EXCHANGED

For a PLANTATION in New Jersey,

A VERY VALUABLE

Grist Mill and Plantation,

SITUATE in Salem county, Upper Alloway's creek township, about six miles from the town of Salem, and about one mile and a half from a landing on Alloway's creek, where shallops constantly ply to Philadelphia The Mill has two water wheels, (over-shot) two pair of stones, one of which are burr. The bolting and hoisting gear go by water, and attached to the Mill is a large Kiln for drying corn, built upon the most approved plan; the whole mill work and bolting cloths, &c. have lately been either made new or completely repaired. The plantation consists of one hundred and fifty acres of land. The buildings exclusive of the mill house and kiln, are a large dwelling house, a barn, stables, corncrib, &c. &c.

☞ For particular information apply to

RICHARD WISTAR,

No. 119 *Market Street.*

December 21 tuth&sa6w

POST OFFICE,

Philadelphia, December 24.

LETTERS for the British Packet Grantham, will be received at this Office, until Friday the 3d January, at 12 o'clock Noon.

N B. The inland postage to New York must be paid.

Southern Mails.

THE Mails for all the Offices on the main line, between this Office and Petersburg, Virginia, will be closed here every day, (Sundays excepted) at half past 7 o'clock, A. M. And the Mails for the Post Towns on the main line, through North-Carolina, South-Carolina and Georgia as far as Savannah, will be closed with the Southern Mails every Monday, Wednesday and Friday. The water Mails between this and Charleston are discontinued.

Post Office, Philadelphia,
December 30, 1799,

December 30. dtf.

BANK OF PENNSYLVANIA,

December 31, 1799.

THE Stockholders of the *Bank of Pennsylvania*, are hereby notified that their Annual Meeting will be held at the Bank on Friday the 31st day of January next, at ten o'clock.

And the Stockholders of the said Bank, are also notified, that an election of nineteen Directors to serve for one year, will be held at the Bank on Monday the 3d day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

JONATHAN SMITH, Cashier.

Extract from the seventh section of the Act of Incorporation.

"Article 2nd. Not more than fourteen of the Directors elected by the Stockholders, and actually in office, exclusive of the President, shall be eligible for the next succeeding year; but the Director who shall be President at the time of an election may always be re-elected."

MEDFORD AND WILLIS,

Have received since their late Advertisement—

282 Crates Queens Ware,
200 Casks Nails,
6 Trunks Madras Pullicatts,
2 Cases Gloves,
1 Trunk Silk Hosiery,
1 Bale Superfine Broad Cloaths,
16 Bales White, Blue and Green, Kendal Cottons,
10 Bales Bocking Baize,

ON HAND,

12 Bales Spotted and Green Rugs,
1 Trunk Scarlet Cardinals,
2 Bales Sail Canvas,
5 Trunks Gingham,
11 Tons Petersburg Hemp,

*** Orders, remittances or communications for the following Houses, for whom Medford and Willis are agents, may still pass through their medium, viz.

John and Robert Holt and Co.—Rochdale.
William Dibbs—Leicester.
Chad Johnson—Birmingham.

Enquire of

JOHN DORSEY.

December 10. 3aw8w.

Genoa Silk Velvets.

Two Bales of Genoa Silk Velvets of a very superior quality for sale by

JOHN ALLEN.

ALSO,

Sheathing Copper and Nails
1100 pair of Men's ready made Shoes.
Glass Ware in crates.
Lamp Black.

December 19. co1ct.

FOR SALE,

By SIMON WALKER,

No. 78 *Walnut Street,*

ENGLISH PORTER and Brown Stout, in casks of 6 dozen each,
Tin Plates,
Sheet, bar and pig Lead,
Cannon with carriages complete, 4, 6, 9 and 12 pounders,
Shot, round, double headed and canister,
Iron Crow Bars,
Cutlasses, boarding Pikes, Muskets and Pistols,
Rough Brimstone,
Cream of Tartar,
Porter, Wine and Claret Bottles,
Six Invoices of Earthen Ware, each about thirty crates, assorted
White and red Lead, yellow and black Paint, and Spanish Brown,
Russian Brittles,
Hardware and Sadlery, assorted in casks,
An Invoice of German Platillas and Britannias.

December 3. co6w

Fashionable Millinery.

ELIZA M'DOUGALL,

NO. 134, *MARKET-STREET,*

HAS just received per ship Thomas Chalkley and Adriana, from London, an elegant assortment of the most fashionable MILLINERY, viz.

Chemille rosette FEATHERS
Fancy flowers
Black tiffany flowers
Wreaths
Pink, yellow and blue crape, full dress caps
Do. do. and do. Nelson's bonnets
Infant's pips straw bonnets
Maid's fancy do. do.
Women's do. do. do.
Do. do. shades
Do do hats
Fancy bugle shoe roses
Do. do. trimmings
Black, white, blue, yellow, pink and orange crape
Black, white and green gauze veils
Do. gauze cloaks

N. B. And per Harmony just arrived, a further assortment of Millinery.

June 26 eotf.

A JOURNEYMAN PAPER MAKER,

Who can work well at the Vat,

Will meet with good encouragement by applying at No 104 North Front Street.

December 27 dtf.

Just Published, and for Sale

By JOHN MORGAN, No. 3 Front St.

AND

BENJAMIN DAVIES, No. 63 High St.

THE UNITED STATES

COURT CALENDAR,

AND

GENTLEMAN'S

Complete Pocket Companion,

For the Year of our Lord

1800.

CONTAINING

Every thing *useful* in other works of the kind,

Besides a great variety of articles

(Combining utility with entertainment),

Not to be found in any publication whatsoever *Amongst these are*

Complete and authentic lists of the

ARMY and NAVY.

(Carefully revised at the respective Offices;)

ALSO,

correct statements of the NATIONAL DEBT,

and of the

ANNUAL RECEIPTS & EXPENDITURES

of the United States.

N. B. The CALENDAR, notwithstanding the vast variety of its contents, is very small in bulk. It is bound in red morocco, in the neatest manner, and may be carried very conveniently in the waistcoat pocket.

December 31. co3w

WILLIAM COBBETT,

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

Has in the press and will soon publish,

THE

LIFE AND CAMPAIGNS

OF

PRINCE SUWARROW,

WITH

A most elegant

PORTRAIT

OF THAT

RENOWNED WARRIOR.

The first edition of this work was published in London about four months ago, and such was the curiosity and admiration it attracted, that it passed through several editions in the space of *one month*. It is comprised in one thick octavo volume, which the re-publisher will endeavour to make equal in elegance and correctness to the best of the London editions.

*** The Portait is in the hands of one of the first Artists (if not the very first) in America.

December 31 d1w

INSURANCE COMPANY

OF THE

State of Pennsylvania.

THE STOCKHOLDERS are hereby notified, that an Election will be held at the Company's Office, on Monday the 13th January next, at eleven o'clock, for *Thirteen Directors* for the ensuing year.

JAMES S. COX, President.

December 16. dtE

THE UNDERSIGNED,

HIS Swedish Majesty's Consul General, and authorized to transact the Consular Business, for his Majesty the King of Denmark in the United States of America, residing at Philadelphia,

Hereby gives public Notice,

That in obedience to recent instructions received from his government, it is the duty of all Masters of Swedish and Danish vessels, before their sailing from any port in the said States, to call upon him or the Vice Consul in order to be granted such Certificates for their Cargoes, which the exigency of the state of the Neutral Commerce and the several Decrees of the Belligerent Powers, render indispensably necessary, and, that any Master of vessels belonging to the respective nations, or navigating under the protection of their flags, in omitting to take such certificates, will personally stand responsible for the consequences.

RICHARD SODERSTROM.

Philadelphia, 18th December, 1799.

CAUTION.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing or receiving in payment, two Drafts of Thomas Truxtun on William Patterson, in my favor, dated 17th September last, endorsed by the Commissioners of the Federal building in the city of Washington and myself, one payable at nine months after date, for 617 dollars 71 cents, the other payable at six months after date, for 1751 dollars 85 cents, the same having been forwarded from the Post Office in this city on the 6th instant, enclosed in a letter from the Commissioners aforesaid, (the proprietors of said drafts) to David Harris, Baltimore, who has not yet received them. Mr Patterson being apprised of the miscarriage of these drafts, will not pay them to any person or persons without hearing further from the Commissioners.

THOMAS MUNROE.

Washington, 2d December. 1799.

SHERIFF's SALE.

HOPEWELL FURNACE.

BY virtue of a writ of Levari Facias, issuing out of the Court of Common Pleas of Berks county, to me directed, will be exposed to sale, on Monday the 6th day of January next, at the Court House in the borough of Reading, that well known estate called

"HOPEWELL FURNACE,"

with the Mine and Lands appurtenant, situate partly in Berks and partly in Chester county, and containing upwards of three thousand acres of Land. The celebrity of Hopewell Furnace, renders a particular description unnecessary.

Any person however, who is unacquainted with the works may receive the necessary information by applying to Marks Jno. Biddle in Reading, or John Bishop, Esq. on the premises. To be sold as the property of James Old, by

NICHOLAS DICK, *Sheriff.*

Reading, December 12.
Dec. 21. dtS.

FOR SALE,

SEVERAL VALUABLE

BUILDING LOTS,

Near the corner of Arch and Ninth streets.

ALSO,

To be Sold or Let,

A number of excellent Pasture Lots,

On the Wissahickon road, about half a mile from the city.

*** Enquire at No. 30 North Sixth street.

November 15. d6t1awtf

MADEIRA WINE.

THE Subscriber, has just received a quantity of HILL's First Quality

London Particular Wine,

In Pipes, Hhds. and Quarter Casks.

GIDEON HILL WELLS.

Philadelphia, Nov. 12. 3tawam

MATTHEW M'CONNELL

Having opened an Office in Chesnut street,

(A few doors above Fourth)

At No. 141,

AND *again* commenced the Business of Negociations, in the various kinds of *Public Stock, Bills of Exchange, &c. &c.* Engages to do every thing in his power to give satisfaction to those who may think proper to employ him. He means to confine his transactions to the *Agency and Commission* line, in all such business as is common to the profession.

The purchase and sale of *Houses and Lots* in and near the City will be attended to, and also *of Lands*, when that business again revives.

November 19. d2w(D5 dtf)

Insurance of Company North America.

THE STOCKHOLDERS

ARE hereby informed that a Stated Meeting of the Company will be held at their Office on the 14th day of January next (being the second Tuesday in the month) for the election of twenty-five Directors for the ensuing year.

EBEN. HAZARD, *Secretary.*

December 12. m&th.t14J.

CITY OF WASHINGTON.

THE POSSESSORS

OF OBLIGATIONS or CERTIFICATES signed by the subscriber, for undivided Shares or Lots on his purchase within the city of Washington, who have not yet applied for and received their Deeds, are hereby notified, that their several Titles will be duly completed to the order of those who in conformity with the terms of the said Certificates, do make the Payments in full therefor, either to *Thomas M'Kean & Co.* or to the Subscriber at Philadelphia, on or at any time before the 31st day of May next.

Samuel Blodget.

December 17

Schuylkill Permanent Bridge.

THE STOCKHOLDERS

ARE hereby notified, that an Election for a President, twelve Directors and a Treasurer, will be held at their office, No. 23 North Fifth street, on MONDAY the 6th day of January next, at 10 o'clock.

JOHN DORSEY, Secretary *pro tem.*

December 4, 1799. 2awtE

A YOUNG MAN

ACQUAINTED with the West-India trade, wishes to be employed as a Supercargo. He will engage on moderate terms. Satisfactory recommendation will be produced.

A line directed to A. B. left at the Printing Office will be immediately attended to.

December 12.

For Sale or to Let,

A large convenient Stone House,

WITH a large Entry and four Rooms on a floor, about half an acre of Land adjoining, situate in Bustleton on the new road to New York, about eleven miles from Philadelphia.

☞ For terms apply to the subscriber in Bustleton.

THOMAS PAUL.

NB. Who offers for sale, several *Building Lots*, pleasantly situated in the village of Bustleton.

December 21 2awjw

Several Lots of Land

To be sold, at the Coffee House, on Saturday, the 4th of January next, at six o'clock, in the evening,

PART of that TRACT, known by the name of *Masters's Estate*. They are laid out upon roads to communicate with Fourth-street continued, and Turner's lane, and contain from 4 to 6 acres. The situation are equal to any around the city for beauty of prospect, convenience of distance, or advantages of future improvement, and rise in value.

A plan may be seen at the Coffee House, and the conditions will be made kown at the time of sale.

JOHN CONNELLY,

Dec 27 Auctioneer.

MARSHAL's SALES

OF INDIA GOODS.

BY virtue of an order of the Honourable the District Court of the United States for the New-York District, to me directed and delivered, I will, on Wednesday the 8th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the morning, at the Store of Isaac Moses and sons, No. 113 Greenwich Street, commence the sale of the following

GOODS,

Imported in the ship America, from Calcutta—viz.

239 bales of Piece Goods,
600 bales of Bombay Cotton,
1488 bags of Sugar, first quality.

The sales to continue daily until the whole are sold.

And, on Monday the 13th of January, at 12 o'clock, at the Tontine Coffee House, that very valuable and faithful built

SHIP

THE AMELIA,

AS she came from India, about 5 years old, near 400 tons burthen, copper up to the bends—mounting 14 carriage guns—well found in every respect, and may at a small expence, be fitted for another voyage to India. She was built in this city—her inventory to be seen at this office.

A. GILES, *Marshal.*

Marshal's Office, Dec. 20 [24]

WANTED A COOK.

A WHITE WOMAN to serve in the capacity of cook in a small family—None need apply who does not perfectly understand her business, and cannot produce an unexceptionable character.

Apply to the printer.

October 18 dt

The Gazette.

PHILADELPHIA,
THURSDAY EVENING, JANUARY 2.

Juſtum et tenacem propoſiti virum,
Non civium ardor prava jubentium,
Non vultus inſtantis tyranni,
Mente quatit ſolida.———

The cut-throat Maſſena, who leads the horde of Savages called the *Army* of Switzerland, is ſaid to have been engaged the greater part of his life, in the honorable office of *Rat-catcher*, on the demeſnes of one of the ancient Seigneurs of France.

It is doubted whether this Republican chief will ever again hold ſo uſeful or ſo honourable an office.

Striking trait of the degeneracy of theſe latter times! This fellow who had never dreamt of an higher office than deſtroying his maſter's vermin, being joſtled out of his employ, lays down the rat-catcher, and becomes a republican general and a cut-throat. Thus, when *degree* is ſhak'd, do all things tend to their confounding contraries.

In England they have a claſs of men called *viper-catchers*; in modern France, the profeſſion is unknown, for this noxious animal abounds to that degree, that if every one were to catch one, *public liberty* would be no more.

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Value of a Democrat's Reputation ascertained.

A Democratic M. C. offered to ſtate *his reputation* to *a fartbing* on the propriety of a meaſure which he had propoſed. Another member of a different complexion, well known for his humourous vein, remarked, that it was the moſt *equal bet* he ever heard of.

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Of a well known democratic blockhead, who by his affected flouncing and bouncing and by ſhuffling and tergiverſating, ſeems to hope to hide his criminality, we may ſay,

So great in Aſs, ſure never wrote before,
Nor ever will till thou ſhalt write once more.

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A well known Democrat, on reading of Surrington, the Norwegian, having attained to a great age, remarked, that he knew a man one hundred and twenty years of age, whoſe grandmother was yet alive. Oh! I know her, ſaid a by-ſtander—you mean the widow of old Methuſaleh.

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The ſagacity which would diſband the army, is about upon a level with that of a man, who wanting gloves, and not being able conveniently to go to the expence, ſhould procure his hands to be lopped off. It is a vain attempt to annihilate a neceſſity, inſtead of ſupplying means to that neceſſity.

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SHARPLES, an ingenious artiſt at New-York, is engaged in making *polygraphic* copies of a number of portraits, taken by himſelf: amongſt others, are mentioned, the heads of General Waſhington, Mr. *Jefferſon*, Col. Pickering, Col. *Burr*, Gen. *Gates*, Gen. Hamilton, Dr. *Prieſtley*, Mr. *Gallatin*, &c. &c. and what is odd, they are in *ſets* too. But an artiſt, in this country at leaſt, has leſs occaſion than other folks, to know a *ſaint* from a *ſinner*. Hence the motley groupe.

It was the maxim of a ſhrewd old merchant of Philadelphia, to ſend his veſſels to thoſe ports whence reports had come of *bad markets*. The man grew rich. It is the practice now, whenever a veſſel makes a ſucceſsful voyage to any port, to crowd other veſſels immediately thither, until the market becomes glutted. A Frenchman the other day remarked on this conduct in revolutionary Engliſh, "De American be very ſtrange peuple: one American go to St. Domingue, *every* American go to St. Domingue."

The whole North of Europe is glutted with ſugar and coffee. It is ſaid, that at Hamburg, Copenhagen, &c. there is on hand, a ſufficient quantity of thoſe articles for three years' conſumption. The Weſt-India Iſlands are equally overſtocked with our produce. And yet every article ſtill bears its moſt exorbitant price here.

Of a *Fire* and Ship Inſurance Company at New-York, Mr. *Phœnix* is the Preſident.

Circumlocution.

A fellow who has written what he calls an *Impartial* work, thus addreſſes himſelf to the public: "Democrats attend! Friends of Government attend! whether Democrats or Friends of Government, or of whatever denomination attend!"

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Gen. Waſhington died *General*, and Commander in Chief, (and not *Lieut. General*) of the Armies of the United States. He was alſo a *Field Marſhal of France*; but never recognized by that title, in conſequence of a clauſe in the Conſtitution of the United States.

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A quack whoſe medical and chirurgical labors had been ſuſpended, by what the French, in good old times, uſed to call a *ſignalment*, reſumes his activity for the benefit of mankind, after the lapſe of ſome months, with the motto, "*tempeſtas reſedit.*"

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It has been ſaid, with ſome color of authority, that General Waſhington had been occupied at intervals of the latter part of his life in writing Memoirs of the Revolutionary War, after the excellent model of Cæſar's Commentaries. We have no knowledge of the fact; but it is fit that the Community take ſome effectual ſteps to prevent being bored were the ignorant and perverſe repreſentations of ill-diſpoſed foreigners on a ſubject, which may juſtly be ſaid to be the peculiar province of an American.

The Editor of the new Court Kalendar contumaciouſly aſſerts the year 1800 to be *the firſt of the nineteenth century*. It is, nevertheleſs, undoubtedly, the *laſt* of the *eighteenth*. And if any doubt remains on this ſubject in the mind of any man of ſenſe, I ſhall now diſſipate it, by citing a fact, the authority of which is not to be conteſted.

The year 1800, in the ordinary courſe of the Kalandar, would be biſſextile, or leap year. But by the Gregorian reformation, the intercalary day at the end of the month of February, is rejected at the end of every century. And this rejection is particularly enforced, and ordered to take place in *eighteen hundred*, "the Centurial year," by an expreſs act of Parliament. So that this preſent year, which would otherwiſe conſiſt of 366 days, is rendered the ſame with a common year, its February conſiſting of but 28 days.

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BRISSOT's GHOST.

As at the Shakeſpeare Tavern dining,
O'er the well repleniſh'd board
Patriotic chiefs reclining,
Quick and large libations pour'd;
While in fancy great and glorious,
'Midſt the Democratic ſtorm,
Fox's crew with ſhout victorious,
Drank to *Radical Reform*.

Sudden up the Stair-caſe ſounding,
Hideous yells and ſhrieks were heard;
Then, each gueſt with fear confounding,
A grim train of Ghoſts appear'd:
Each a head with anguiſh gaſping,
(Himſelf a trunk deform'd with gore)
In his hand terrific claſping,
Stalk'd acroſs the wine-ſtain'd floor.

On them gleam'd the lamp's blue luſtre,
When ſtern Briſſot's grizly ſhade
His ſad bands was ſeen to muſter,
And his bleeding troops array'd.
Through the drunken crowd he hied him,
Where the Chieftain ſate enthron'd,
There, his ſhadowy trunks beſide him,
Thus in threatening accents groan'd.

"Heed, oh heed our fatal ſtory,
"(I am Briſſot's injur'd Ghoſt,)
"You who hope to purchaſe glory
"In that field where I was loſt!
"Though dread Pitt's expected ruin
"Now your ſoul with triumph cheers
"When you think on our undoing,
"You will mix your hopes with fears.

"See theſe helpleſs headleſs Spectres
"Wand'ring throught the midnight gloom:
"Mark their Jacobinic Lectures
"Echoing from the ſilent tomb.
"Theſe thy ſoul with terror filling,
"Once were patriots fierce and bold"—
(Each his head with gore diſtilling
Shakes, the whilſt his tale is told.)

"Some from that dread Engine's carving
"In vain contriv'd their heads to ſave—
"See Barbaroux and Petion* ſtarving
"In the Languedocian cave!
"See in a higgler's† hamper buckled,
"How Louvet's ſoaring ſpirit lay!
"How virtuous Roland‡ hapleſs Cuckold,
"Blew, what brains he had, away.

"How beneath the power of Marat,
"Condorcet, blaſpheming, fell,
"Begg'd ſome laudanum of Garat§
"Drank;—and ſlept,—to wake in Hell!
"O! that, with worthier ſouls uniting,
"I in my Country's cauſe had ſhone!
"Had died my Sov'reign's battle fighting,
"Or nobly prop'd his ſinking throne!

"But hold!—I ſcent the gates of morning—
"Covent Garden's clock ſtrikes one!
"Heed, oh heed my earneſt warning,
"Ere England is, like France undone!
"To St. Stephen's quick repairing,
"Your diſſembled mania end;
"And your errors paſt forſwearing,
"Stand, at length, your country's friend!"

* Such was the end of theſe brutal Regicides! They were found ſtarved to death in a Cave in Languedoc. *Vide Barrere's report.*

† See Louvet's *Récit de mes Perils.*

‡ The virtuous Roland. This Philoſophic Coxcomb is, like the traitor La Fayette, the idol of thoſe *candid* and *philanthropic* men who admire the French Revolution *up to a certain point.*

§ This little anecdote is not generally known. It is ſtrikingly pathetic. GARAT has recorded the circumſtance in a very eloquent ſentence—"O toi qui arrêtas la main, avec laquelle tu traçais le progrès de l'eſprit humain, pour porter ſur tes levres le breuvage mortel, d'autres penſées, et d'autres ſentimens, ont incliné ta volonté vers le tombeau, dans ta dernière deliberation.—(GARAT it ſeems did not chooſe to poiſon *himſelf.*)—Tu as rendu à la liberté eternelle ton ame Républicaine par ce poiſon qui avait été partagé entre nous comme le pain entre deux frères."

"Oh you, who with that hand which was tracing the progreſs of the human mind, approached the mortal mixture to your lips—it was by other thoughts and other ſentiments that your judgment was at length determined in the laſt deliberated act—You reſtored your Republican ſpirit to an eternal freedom, by that poiſon which we had ſhared together, like a morſel of bread between two brothers."

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PRICES OF STOCKS.

PHILADELPHIA, DECEMBER 28.

Six per Cent.	16/
Three per Cent.	9/9
Deferred 6 per Cent.	15/
8 per Cent Stock—2 per Cent. advance.	
BANK United States,	24
—— Pennſylvania,	20
—— North America,	50
Inſurance comp. N. A. ſhares	5
—— Pennſylvania, ſhares,	22
Eaſt-India Company of N. A. par.	
Land Warrants, 32 dolls. per 100 acres.	

Advance.

COURSE OF EXCHANGE

London, 62 at 30 days.
60 at 60 à 90 days
Amſterdam, 35 37 à 100 per florin
Hamburgh 30 23 à 100 per Mark Banco.

MR. FENNO,

By conveying to the public, through the medium of your excellent and impartial paper, the Gazette of the United States, the following letter of remonſtrance, againſt the proceedings in Elizabeth Town on Chriſtmas Day, you will oblige many of your readers in this Borough. The letter was ſent to Mr. Auſtin on the 21ſt inſt. and its failure is aſcribed to ſome important arrangements and to an irreverſible decree made by two or three people.

It is ſcarcely credible that at the concluſion of the Eighteenth Century in an American, republican and chriſtian country, there ſhould exiſt ſuch a ſparſeneſs of that genuine evangelical ſpirit which actuated the Eaſtern Magi, as to cauſe this holy day to paſs into a careleſs and contemptuous neglect—that the commemoration of the nativity of the Son of God ſhould give place to any mark of reſpect, even to the moſt illuſtrious perſonage that ever adorned human nature. Scarcely can it be believed that tranſactions of this nature could have happened in any place where the benign influence of the goſpel had ever penetrated; that the memory of our bleſſed Redeemer, like that of his holy religion on its firſt promulgation, ſhould ſtill remain to ſome a ſtumbling block and to others fooliſhneſs.

CLEMENS ALEXANDRINUS.

Elizabeth Town, N. J. Dec. 26, 1799.

Reverend & dear Sir,

YOUR being appointed to deliver a ſermon in remembrance of our late much beloved Father, General George Waſhington, on Chriſtmas Day, occaſions me to offer you a few ſuggeſtions.

Chriſtmas day is ſet apart in pre-eminence to every other, to celebrate the praiſes, and commemorate the nativity of the deſcendant of David, the Saviour of the World, the Son of God—a day in which glad tidings of great joy were announced to all mankind—a day in which the Jubilee Trump of God ſounded in exquiſite and harmonious vibrations throughout the world, commemorative of an event far greater than that of Creation itſelf—Redemption and Salvation to a ſinful world.

May not therefore the pious and contemplative Chriſtian be interrogated as to the propriety of tarniſhing the luſtre of that great and glorious day with any event appertaining to mortality?

Thoſe therefore, impreſſed with the propriety of keeping this as a feſtal day, holy and acceptable unto the Author of their exiſtence; who have the light of the Lord ſhed abroad in their ſouls, however tenderly they would wiſh to cherish the memory of their *political Saviour*, would it is hoped on maturer reflection, have appointed one more ſuitable, and that would have comported better with ſo melancholy and diſtreſſing an occaſion.

"A good name is better than precious ointment; and the day of death than the day of one's birth"—Little however did our Commander in Chief imagine, that his departure from this earthly ſtage of human action by the mandate of Him who commands the armies of Heaven, ſhould ever tend in the leaſt to darken the glorious advent of his Lord and Maſter; that any melancholy tokens of reſpect ſhould be ſhewn him on Chriſtmas Day, which was ſet apart by the Lord himſelf, by his angelic miſſionary, who announced good tidings of great Joy he brought to all people—that then began and ſhould never ceaſe. Still leſs did he conceive that his death ſhould be lamented on that particular day in preference to any other. A man of ſuch a pious and exemplary life, who held that day in ſuch ſacred veneration, could not eſteem it a *proper* mark of reſpect ſhewn his memory in rendering gloomy and cloudy, the faireſt and cleareſt day ever exhibited in creation ſince the Fall of Man. Nor could he wiſh nor any of his pious and virtuous relatives, that his name ſhould be the firſt upon record in the Chriſtian World, that ſhould be thus particularly and publicly lamented on the Jubilee of the nativity of the Saviour of the World.

It may not be improper alſo to ſuggeſt that Chriſtmas Day is ſet apart in a particular manner for the adminiſtration of the holy Euchariſt in the Epiſcopal Church, conſequently many perſons who would be very deſirous of hearing the Funeral Sermon are fearful of being debarred that ſatisfaction. Would it not, therefore, be as convenient and proper for you to commence at the concluſion of the evening Epiſcopal ſervice?

Reverend and dear Sir,
I remain your's with due eſteem,
A CHRISTIAN.

Rev. Mr. Auſtin,

Borough of Elizabeth,
New Jerſey, 21ſt Dec. 1799.

Rebellion, Inſurrection, or Riot, in York County.

Such is the propenſity of our country to *euphemiſm*, that we are at a loſs, by what appellation to characterize the following occurrence, which is ſtated on the authority of a gentleman who came down laſt evening from York, to have taken place in that county.

Of the late general proſcription of thoſe friends to the Federal Government, who had held offices under the State Government, Meſſ. EDIE and BARNITZ, of York county, were victims. The latter had ſerved his country in the hour of peril, and become a cripple by wounds received in that cauſe. During a great number of years, he had filled without reproach an office in the county, on which he eventually became dependent for its ſubſiſtence. Without other plea, than that it is inconſiſtent with "certain arrangements," this war-worn Soldier of Liberty and of Waſhington is conſigned to ſtarvation, to make room for ſome muſhroom *republican*.

Our informant ſtates, that the people of the county were actually IN ARMS,—declaring that they will oppoſe by every means the diſmiſſal of thoſe gentlemen from office.

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The Vienna Court Gazette, of October 5, (probably the lateſt from which any extract has been made that has appeared in the United States) has an account of the taking of Pignerol, in Italy, by ſtorm, from the French. Several hundred priſoners were made, and a number of pieces of cannon were taken. Prince Lichtenſtein commanded; and the Auſtrians loſs was inconſiderable. General Bellegarde, was ſucceſsful at the ſame time in an expedition againſt Suza. The Auſtrians alſo took Rivoli an important paſs in the plains of Piedmont. The French were driven beyond St. Antonio; and loſt 1000 men, 400 of whom were made priſoners. The Auſtrians loſt 230 men and 51 horſes. The ſame Gazette contains the Archduke Charle's ſtatement of affairs in Switzerland to September 25 He mentions the death of General Hotze, and ſays, "the neceſſary plans are arranged for the ſecurity of the Griſon Country and the Voralberg;—He adds, that he is marching towards Switzerland, leaving a ſufficient force to cover Manheim.

The Archduke's head quarters were at Donaueſchingen, October 4; a body of Ruſſians were at Tengen. A Grand council of war was ſitting. The reſult was doubtleſs important.

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CONGRESS.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 1, 1800.

The bill intitled "An act for the relief of perſons impriſoned for debt," was read a third time and paſſed.

The engroſſed bill intitled "An act providing for ſalvage, in caſes of re capture," was read a third time, and the queſtion being put, *ſhall this bill paſs?*

Mr. Sewall ſaid that an amendment ought to be made in the bill, which had been overlooked, to enable veſſels the property of citizens of the United States, to come within the meaning of the act—and moved for the re-commitment of the bill for that purpoſe.

The motion was agreed to—and the Houſe immediately reſolved itſelf into a committee of the whole, Mr. *Morris* in the chair, for the purpoſe of conſidering the amendment; which having been read, was agreed to without debate; when the committee roſe, and the bill was paſſed.

Mr. Nicholas ſaid, that conceiving it neceſſary ſome reduction ſhould be made in our public expenditures and that any change contemplated of this nature ſhould be made and conſidered as early as poſſible, he would take the liberty of laying the following reſolution on the table. He would not now ſay any thing on the merits of it—but gave notice that he would ſome time in the courſe of next week call it up for conſideration:

The reſolution is in the following words:

Reſolved, That ſo much of the act paſſed the 16th July, 1798, entitled "An act to augment the army of the United States, and for other purpoſes," as authorizes the Preſident of the United States to raiſe twelve additional regiments of Infantry, and ſix troops of Light Dragoons, and to appoint two Major Generals, an Inſpector General, three Brigadier Generals, and an Adjutant General; and ſo much of the act paſſed the 3d March, 1799, entitled "Act for the better organizing of the troops of the United States and for other purpoſes," as authorizes the appointment of a commander of the Army, and a Quarter Maſter General—ought to be repealed.

Mr. Otis obſerved, that though the reſolution was offered to lie on the table, and he was thereby precluded from a diſcuſſion of its merits, yet in juſtice to the Committee of Defence, of which both that gentleman and himſelf were members, he conſidered himſelf called on to declare, that the committee had called upon the Secretary of War for all ſuch information as would enable them to digeſt a ſyſtem relative to the Military Eſtabliſhment; and was therefore ſorry that the reſolution had now been offered as it might have an unfavorable impreſſion, not only on the army and the public, but upon our pending negociations with France—And though it was probable that ſome modification of the exiſting military eſtabliſhment might be adopted with a view to ſave expence; yet he did not believe that in the actual ſtate of things this Houſe would diſcover ſuch a verſatility of temper and ſyſtem, as to diſband the army by a ſingle reſolution.

Mr. Nicholas replied that he would not be in haſte to call up the reſolution; and was willing to let it lie, till every information could be obtained that might be wiſhed upon the ſubject.

...ARRIVED.

Ship Three Siſters, White, Spaniſh Main.
Brig Thomas Pinckney, Laughton, Palermo, 110 days.
Schr. Ruth, Snow, North Carolina
Herkermer, ——, Richmond
Rambler, Lazard, N. Carolina.
Sloop Maria, Gardner, Trinidad.
Diſpatch, ——, Bay Honduras.
Sloop Delight, arrived at Charleſton in 5 days from this port.
Sloop Cato, Durrell, arrived at Bermuda from this port.

NEW THEATRE.

To-morrow Evening, January 3.

Will be preſented, *(for the ſecond time in America)* a celebrated new Comedy, in five acts,

CALLED

THE SECRET;

Or, Partnerſhip diſſolved.

Written by Edward Morris, Eſq. and performed at the Theatre Royal, Drury Lane, with unbounded applauſe.

Lizard, Mr Bernard—Jack Lizard, Mr Wignell—Mr Dorville, Mr Warren—Henry Torrid, Mr Cain—Ralph, Mr Bliſſet.

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To which will be added, a favorite Farce (in two acts) called

The Spoiled Child.

Little Pickle, (with Songs) Miſs Arnold.

Box, one Dollar, Pit, three quarters of a dollar, and Gallery half a dollar.

☞ Gentlemen and Ladies are requeſted to ſend their ſervants to keep place, in the Boxes at 5 o'clock.

☞ The doors of the Theatre will open at a quarter paſt 5, and the curtain riſe at a quarter paſt 6 o'clock preciſely.

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Extracted from the American Philoſophical Tranſactions, Vol. II and III.

WITH

ADDITIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS.

"God helps them that help themſelves."
Poor Richard.

January 2. d6w

A YOUNG MAN

ACQUAINTED with Accompts, wiſhes to engage as Supercargo to any port in Europe or the Weſt-Indies.—Satisfactory recommendations can be given

Enquire of the Printer.

Jan. 2. 2t¶

One Cent Reward.

RAN AWAY from the Subſcriber, an Apprentice named James Welſh, about 5 feet 6 or 8 inches high, has ſhort red curſey hair.—Whoever will apprehend the ſaid apprentice and bring him back, ſhall receive the above reward, and no charges paid.

WM. MANNING.

Jan. 2. co1w

IN THE PRESS,
And in a few days will be publiſhed
At Dickins's Book-Store,
A SUPERB EDITION OF
WASHINGTON's ADDRESS
To the People of the United States, on retiring from Public Life,
Super Royal, 8vo.

Ornamented with a capital Portrait by one of the firſt Artiſts.

NO exertions or expence have been ſpared to render this publication complete, and altho' all the materials and workmanſhip are entirely American, the paper, printing and engraving have been allowed by good judges to excel any thing ever attempted in the United States.

DICKINS',
STATIONARY & BOOK-STORE,
Will next week be removed to the houſe lately occupied by Mr. W. Cobbett.

December 28.

FOR SALE,
Or to be exchanged for a good Veſſel,
AN ELEGANT
New Two Story Frame Houſe,

Twenty ſeven feet front by thirty-four in depth, with a commodious piazza and kitchen, together with a coach houſe and ſtable, ſituate in the flouriſhing village of Frankford. The houſe, which may be entered the 1ſt of June next, will be finiſhed in the neateſt ſtile with many conveniences, and will be well adapted to a large genteel family who may wiſh to reſide in the country during the ſummer ſeaſon. In exchange, it will be valued low, if a veſſel offer that may be ſuitable.

Further particulars will be made known by application to

MOORE WHARTON.

Dec. 11. eodtf

A POINTER

WAS carried away on Sunday the 10th inſt. from No. 163 Vine ſtreet—He is about 9 months old, ſpotted noſe, lion coloured ears, with a ſpot of the ſame color in his forehead, long tail having never been cut—He is called Gift. A reward of two dollars, with reaſonable expences, will be paid to any perſon who will return him to No. 163, Vine ſtreet; and ten dollars more, if ſtolen, for ſuch information reſpecting the thief as may produce legal puniſhment.

Nov. 30. eotf

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Of Practical Surveying and dividing of land; briefly comprized under the following heads, viz.

TWENTY-THREE Geometrical Definitions, eleven Geometrical Positions, exhibiting to view the properties and depeadencies of triangles; followed by problems and examples preparatory to Trigonometry, heights and distances. Then fifteen problems and examples necessarily previous to calculating a Survey succeeded by seven surveys, the area of the four first is found geometrically, and of the whole number by difference of latitude and departure, shewing how to take an inaccessible boundary, find the bearing and distance of the closing line without running it, also the distances to an inaccessible corner from the two adjacent corners, followed by examples of offsets on to winding streams of water, shewing how to ascertain the area without the trouble of measuring the windings with chains and instruments—a crooked water course straitened, and a quantity of land on each side found by these offsets.

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ZACHARIAH JESS.

Wilmington, 9th 11 mo—16. 3awsm.

JUST RECEIVED,

From the BOSTON Manufactory,

A QUANTITY OF

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Of different sizes,

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N. B. Any size or sizes that may be wanted cut larger than 18 by 10 can be had from said manufactory, on being ordered; and attention given to forward on any orders that may be left for that purpose—Apply at No. 9, South Water-street, as above.

july 8 dtf

Valuable Property for Sale,

In Chesnut, near Sixth street, directly opposite CONGRESS HALL,

A LOT of ground, about 21 feet front in Chesnut street and 73 feet in depth, whereon is a good frame house, now in the tenure of Samuel Benge subject to a ground rent of 20s. per annum.

The advantageous situation of this property requires no comments, for it must be known, there are few in this city to equal it, an unexceptionable title will be made to the purchaser. Apply to

JAMES GIRVAN,

no. 198, Chesnut street, next door to the premises.

march 5 tuthsatf

WHEREAS,

AN attachment was lately issued out of the inferior court of common pleas of the county of Essex, in the state of New Jersey, directed to the sheriff of the said county, against the rights, credits, monies and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of *John Cleves Symmes* at the suit of *William Wells*, in a plea of trespass on the case to his damage three thousand dollars;—

And whereas, the said sheriff did, at the term of June last past, return to the said court that he had attached the defendant by a certain bond given by Matthias Denman and Samuel Meeker to the said defendant, to the amount of near two thousand dollars, and also by sixty land warrants;—

Now therefore, unless the said John Cleves Symmes shall appear, give special bail, and receive a declaration at the suit of the plaintiff, judgment will be entered against him, and his property herein attached, will be sold agreeably to the statute in such case made and provided.

Aaron Ogden, *Clerk, &c.*

Elizabeth-town, July 8, 1799 (11) 12awt2m

TO BE SOLD,

THREE or four lots of about 30 or 40 acres each, more or less as may suit a purchaser. On each of which there is a good situation for a house—viz. one on the river Delaware, suitable either for a gentleman's seat, or for a person who might wish to engage in the lumber business having a good landing. One commanding a good view of the river from the highest ground between the Pennypack and Poguessin creeks; and another on the Bristol Road. Enquire of Mr. Gilpin near the 11 mile stone on the said road.

ALSO

FOUR LOTS,

Of about 10 acres each with good situations for building; one of which is suitable for a tan-yard, and has a small stone house and a young bearing orchard on it, on the Newtown road near Snider's mill about 10 miles from Philadelphia, and one other lot of about 30 acres on the Pennypack.—Enquire of Jonathan Clift who lives on the premises or of Mr. Gilpin.

Possession will be given in the spring, but building materials may be collected sooner.

November 8 12awtf.

Taxes of Lycoming County.

JOHN KIDD, Treasurer,

BY Direction of the *Commissioners* of Lycoming county, attends at Philadelphia to receive the Taxes assessed upon unseated Lands in that County, from the holders thereof, in this City. Those who have filed with the Commissioners, statements of their Lands, are requested to call upon him, to know the amount of Taxes thereon, and pay them; otherwise, before his leaving the City, they will be put into the hands of the Sheriff for collection, agreeably to the act for raising county rates and levies. Those who have not filed statements of their lands with the Commissioners, and are desirous of having it done, to prevent sales without previous perfonal Notice, may file with the above Treasurer, their lists, stating the quantities returned, number and dates of the warrants and names of the warrantees, under which they hold their lands. He will attend at Mr. Joseph Hardy's No. 98, Market street for this purpose until the 18th instant.

November 9.

Drawing School.

MR. BECK having been solicited by many of his friends to engage in a Drawing School, takes the liberty of informing them and the public that he intends opening one at his house in Fifth street, opposite the State house yard, on Monday the 4th of November, on the following terms:

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays,

	Dols.
Ladies from three till five, per quarter,	9
Gentlemen, from half past 5 till half past 7,	9
Private Lessons, at home for one hour,	1
From home, two hours,	3

PERSPECTIVE,

The essential ground work of all kinds of drawing, taught by a much more simple and short method than hitherto practised.

WANTED,

A person to do house work; also a boy to attend the family and take care of a horse.

November 27. 3tawtf

LANCASTER STAGES.

THE Proprietors of the Philadelphia and Lancaster line of Stages DISPATCH, return their grateful thanks to their friends and the public in general, for the past favors they have received, and inform them that in addition to the regular Line, they are provided with Carriages, sober and careful drivers, to go through between the City and Borough in two days. Those who prefer this mode of travelling can be accommodated at the Stage Office, sign of United States Eagle, Market street, Philadelphia.

Slough, Downing, Dunwoody & Co.

Nov. 30. ¶ 2t—§

The following Certificates

OF THE

STOCK of the BANK of the United States

In the names of Nicolaas Van Staphorst and Nicholas Hubbard of Amsterdam, to wit,

No 29,160 for 5 shares, 29,161 for 2 shares, 29,162 for 2 shares, 29,163 for 1 share, 29,115 for 4 shares, and 29,116 for 5 shares; and the following certificates of the debt of the United States, on the books of the Treasury, to wit, No 12,823, dated February 28, 1799, for 4000 dollars three per cents, in name of Nicolaas Van Staphorst of Amsterdam, No. 12,824 same date, for 4000 dollars three per cents, in name of Jacob Van Staphorst of Amsterdam, No 16,348 dated 19th February 1799, for 783 dollars 33 cents of six per cents, and No. 12,818 same date, for 633 dollars 33 cents of three per cents, in the name of Nicholas Hubbard of Amsterdam, and No. 12,817 dated 19th February 1799, for 3300 dollars three per cents, in the name of Jan Hendrick Kingsbergen, knight of the Russian military order of St. George, were sent by the British packet Chesterfield, Captain Jones, which vessel was captured, and the said certificates lost, therefore application is made for the renewal of the same, of which all persons concerned are desired to take notice.

CLEMENT BIDDLE.

October 14, 1799. d3m

ALL PERSONS

INDEBTED to the Estate of JOHN WHARTON, late of the City of Philadelphia, Merchant, deceased, are requested to pay the same, and those having demands against his Estate, to produce their accounts legally attested to

KEARNY WHARTON,

Acting Executor, No. 111, Spruce street.

November 11. dtf.

Horses to Winter.

HORSES will be taken to winter at *Prospect Hill*, at the 12 miles stone on the Bristol Road, where they will have good Timothy and Clover Hay, well littered and cleaned and a field to run in when the weather is good.

☞ Enquire of Mr. William Bell Merchant, or on the premises.

N. B. Will not be answerable for accidents or escape, but will take every precaution to prevent either.

November 14 3tawtf

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE time being fixed on, when the MILITARY LAND (commonly called Knox's) WARRANTS, granted to the United States' army, are to be registered and located,—the subscribers have explored that tract of land on which those warrants are to be laid; with a view, and for the purpose of offering their services as locaters.

We take the liberty of suggesting, "that we are at least as well acquainted with the situation, quality of the soil, &c. of the different townships in the aforesaid tract, as any other person:" this will, perhaps, appear more clearly, by observing, that WILLIAM C. SCHENK assisted in running the Indian boundary line; at which time he considerably traversed that tract: he also assisted in surveying and laying it off into townships, and at other times ranged over it, to gain information. But to obtain a more complete and accurate knowledge, we have lately spent between two and three months, with several assistants, in particularly examining the different townships and quarter townships; by which means we have acquired an accurate knowledge of the whole district.—We now offer our services to the public, as Locaters, with assurances that we will locate every persons warrants intrusted to us to the best advantage, agreeably to their rights of location, which is to be determined according to law. For our services we demand the one equal tenth part, either in lands or warrants, when we locate a full tract, of four thousand acres or more, for one person or firm; the land to be taken in a square, at a corner of the tract; which corner is to be equitably determined before the time of location.—The one equal sixth part, in cash or warrants, when we connect and locate any amount less than four thousand acres. We will be in Philadelphia from December next, until after the time of location, to transact this business. Any person wishing to satisfy himself farther, will please to call on us, by letter, (postage paid) or otherwise; when due attention will be paid, and such vouchers may be seen as we have to offer, which we hope will be satisfactory.

MARTIN BAUM,

WILLIAM C. SCHENCK.

Philadelphia, Oct. 9, 1799. cow.

TO BE SOLD,

BY THE SUBSCRIBERS,

NINE undivided tenth parts of a tract of LAND, in the State of Georgia; either together or in such parts as may suit the purchaser. The whole tract is bounded as follows, viz. beginning on the Mississippi river, where the latitude of thirty-two degrees, forty-nine minutes, forty seconds north of the Equator intersects the same river; thence running along the same parallel of latitude a due east course to the Tom Bigby river; thence up the middle of the said Tom Bigby river to the place where the latitude thirty-two degrees, fifty-nine minutes, twenty seconds north of the equator intersects the same; thence a due west course on the same parallel of latitude to the Mississipoi river; thence down the middle of the said Mississippi river to the place of beginning; together with all the privileges, immunities and appurtenances thereof, including all islands within the said bounds, and containing at least One Million acres, probably more. The premises if not before disposed of by private sale, will be sold by Public Vendue, on Thursday the twenty first day of November next, at eleven o'clock, A. M. at Concert-Hall, kept by Mr. JAMES VILA in Boston. For further particulars and terms, apply to either of the subscribers

CHARLES CUSHING,

Boston, Oct. 2, 1799. GEORGE LANE,

1wtf, M. M. HAYS,

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

March 11th, 1799.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

Pursuant to the act of Congress passed on the 1st day of June, one thousand, seven hundred and ninety six, entitled "an act regulating the grants of land appropriated for military services, and for the society of United Brethren for propagating the gospel among the Heathen;" and the act supplementary to the said recited act passed on the second day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine——*to wit:*

I.

THAT the tract of Land herein after described, namely, "beginning at the North West corner of the seven ranges of townships, and running thence fifty miles due south, along the western boundary of the said ranges;—thence due West to the Main Branch of the Scioto river; thence up the Main Branch of the said river to the place where the Indian boundary line crosses the same;—thence along the said boundary line to the Tuscaroras branch of the Muskingum river at the crossing place above Fort Lawrence; thence *down* the said river, to the point where a line run due west from the place of beginning, will intersect the said river; thence along the line so run to the place of beginning;" has been divided into townships of five miles square, and fractional parts of townships; and that plats and surveys of the said townships and fractional parts of townships are deposited in the offices of the Register of the Treasury and Surveyor General, for the inspection of all persons concerned.

II.

The holders of such warrants as have been or shall be granted for military services performed during the late war, are required to present the same to the Register of the Treasury, at some time prior to the twelfth day of February in the year, one thousand eight hundred, for the purpose of being registered; No registry will however be made of any less quantity than a quarter township, or four thousand acres.

III.

The priority of location of the warrants which may be presented and registered in manner aforesaid, prior to the 12th day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred, will immediately after the said day, be determined by lot, in the mode described by the act first recited.

IV.

The holders of registered warrants, shall on Monday the 17th day of February, in the year 1800, in the order of which the priority of location shall be determined by lot as aforesaid, personally, or by their agents, designate in writing at the office of the Register of the Treasury, the particular quarter townships elected by them respectively, and such of the said holders as shall not designate their locations on the said day, shall be postponed in locating such warrants to all other holders of registered warrants.

V.

The holders of warrants for military services sufficient to cover one or more quarter townships or tracts of four thousand acres each; shall, at any time after Monday the 17th day of February, 1800 and prior to the first day of January, 1802, be allowed to register the said warrants in manner aforesaid, and forthwith to make locations therefor on any tract or tracts of land not before located.

VI.

All warrants or claims for lands on account of military services, which shall not be registered and located before the first day of January, 1802, are by the supplementary act of Congress herein before recited, passed on the second day of March, 1799, declared to be forever barred.

Given under my hand at Philadelphia, the day and year above mentioned.

OLIVER WOLCOTT.

Sec. of the Treasury.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

May 29th, 1799.

THE proprietors of certificates issued for subscriptions to the Loan bearing interest at eight per centum per annum, are notified, that at any time after payment shall have been made of the 5th instalment, which will become due during the first ten days of the month of July ensuing, Certificates of Funded Stock may at their option be obtained at the Treasury or Loan Offices, respectively, for the amount of the four first instalments, or one moiety of the sums expressed in the subscription certificates:—No certificates of Funded Stock will however be issued for less than one hundred dollars.

Such subscription certificates as may be presented at the Treasury or Loan Offices in consequence of the foregoing arrangement, will be indorsed and distinctly marked so as to denote, that a moety of the stock has been issued.

OLIVER WOLCOTT,

Secretary of the Treasury.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

Trenton, September 2, 1799.

ALL officers of the first regiment of Artillerists and Engineers, and of the first, second, third and fourth regiments of Infantry in the service of the United States, who are, from whatever cause, absent from their commands, are required with all possible expedition to report themselves by letter to Major General Alexander Hamilton. The officers thus called upon, will be held amenable for any avoidable delay in reporting themselves, and those who do not report in four months from the date of this notification, will be presumed to have resigned their commissions.

JAMES M'HENRY.

☞ The Printers in the several states, who published the proposals for the supply of rations during the year 1800, are requested to insert the above once a week in their papers, till the first of January next. 12awtlJ.

SCHUYLKILL

PERMANENT BRIDGE.

For the information of the Stockholders in the company, incorporated for the erection of a Permanent Bridge over the river Schuylkill, and others of our fellow citizens who are desirous that this useful undertaking should succeed, it is thought expedient and proper, by the President and Directors of that company to state the present situation of its affairs.

THE company was incorporated on the 27th day of April, 1798; and by a clause in the law authorizing this incorporation, the legislature *may* resume the rights, &c. granted to the company, if they do not "*proceed to carry on the work*" in *two years*, and complete the bridge in *five years*, after they had been incorporated.

As soon as practicable, the company proceeded to the choice of the officers required by law; and the President and Directors have been constant in their endeavours to encrease the number of subscribers to the stock. The number of shares subscribed when the company was organized, was 5216. With all the exertions made since, it is now only 5638; though of the 15,000 contemplated by law, 12,000 (at ten dollars each) are allotted for the active capital of the company.

As the public opinion, coinciding with that of the President and Directors, appeared to be fixed on the scite at the west end of Market street, it was deemed a primary object to obtain from the corporation of the city, their right to the ferry at that place. Negociations were accordingly commenced for the purpose.—These ended in a contract with the city corporation, to the following effect—

1. 5000 dollars to be paid to the city corporation when the subscriptions to the btidge stock amount to the value of 11,000 shares—a like sum in four months thereafter with interest—5000 dollars further in eight months—and the like sum in twelve months, with interest.

2. The city corporation take, as payment for 20,000 dollars, (to make the whole consideration monies 40,000 dollars) two thousand shares in the bridge stock, on terms detailed in the contract.

3. The 11,000 shares being subscribed, and the first instalmene of the purchase monies paid, the right to the ferry and its enumerated appurtenances, with certain parts of the scite and the brick tavern, to be conveyed to the bridge company, on their mortgaging the premises, in the contract mentioned, for 15,000 dollars, the residue of the pecuniary payments, with interest.

4. If the erection is not completed in the period fixed, or which may be fixed by the legislature, the property and rights are to re-vest in the corporation of the city, on terms prescribed in the contract; which contains other subordinate arrangements, too lengthy to be herein particularly detailed.

The sum agreed to be given was unavoidable. We found the councils of the city inflexibly determined not to take less. We deemed it eligible to make some sacrifices (if any we have made) to avoid competitions injurious and embarrassing, both in the commencement and progress of our intended enterprize.

Warned by experience of the fatal consequences of beginning works, requiring extensive pecuniary support, without a certainty of its being within our power, we agreed to that part of the contract requiring 11,000 shares to be actually subscribed, before it takes effect.—We do not desire to conceal our indisposition to embark in this undertaking, until the number of shares subscribed shall, at least, equal that required by this contract. Nor shall we engage in the business until the instalments directed by law shall be in the treasurer's hands, to an amount sufficient to encourage us to begin the work, with solid prospects of complying with our engagements to those with whom we may contract.

We have received a number of plans in consequence of our advertisement for the purpose, but have made no selection. We shall prefer that which unites economy with stability, and accommodation to all circumstances attached to the place of erection. The scite must be fixed before the plan is adopted. It must be perceived that a deficiency of subscriptions to our stock prevents our obtaining the scite provisionally contracted for, which, however expensive it may appear, is certainly the most eligible and productive.

We have not called for the second instalment, from those who have already subscribed, because we do not think ourselves warranted, from present appearances, to commence the work. The monies already paid (one dollar on each share subscribed, deducting our necessary expenditures, which will appear in our accounts) lie useless to us in the bank. They must remain inactive, till by further subscriptions, we are enabled to proceed in the execution of our trust; as we have no authority to employ them for any other purposes, than those directed by the act of incorporation. Our minutes and accounts will be laid before the stockholders, at the next meeting for the annual election of officers. They are always open for the inspection of the members of the company.

All the books and forms required for the progress of the business are prepared; and we are otherwise compleatly ready to proceed, if the most essential requisite were in our possession. It will be seen that there is a deficiency of 5362 shares to give validity to our contract with the city corporation, and to justify us in commencing the work.

We have a strong persuasion, founded on accurate information of the product of bridges in other states, and calculations of profit here, that investments in our stock will be equal, in point of emolument, with those made in any other permanent funds in this city. The company may divide, in biennial dividends, 15 per cent. annually during twenty-five years; and if the bridge be made free, they are to receive its value on a fair estimate.—The Charles River Bridge near Boston (1500 feet long and 42 wide) cost 50,000 dollars, and yields from 20 to 24 per cent. clear of all expences. The bridge at Canbridge (7000 feet long and 42 wide) cost 80,000 dollars; and yields from 12 to 14 per cent. Some deductions have been made, to remedy defects in the timber originally used, but these expences will no longer be necessary. Immense bodies of ice assail these bridges without injury.—Neither of them are better situated to command toll, than that we contemplate over the Schuylkill, which is only 400 feet wide.

Whether we shall proceed or not, depends on the disposition of our fellow citizens to encourage the undertaking. We cannot help fostering the flattering expectation, that, from motives of public spirit and private emolument, we shall yet be supported in our ardent wishes to complete an erection, eminently promotive of the interests, as well as the credit of our city.

The stock being in itself inviting, and the object of great public utility, as well to ourselves as to our posterity, we more confidently solicit subscriptions.

By order,

RICHARD PETERS,

President.

Philadelphia, Dec. 6. (11) aaw3w.

The Swift-Sure,

A NEW LINE OF STAGES,

NOW RUNNING BETWEEN

PHILADELPHIA & NEW-YORK,

By the short and pleasant road of *Bustleton, Newtown, Scotch Plains, Springfield and Newark.*

THE excellence of this road, the populousness of the country through which it passes, with sundry other advantages, which render it so far preferable to the Old Road through Bristol, Brunswick, &c. long ago suggested the propriety of its becoming the Grand Thorough-Fare from Philadelphia to New York. During the present year, a minute survey of it has been taken, and its superiority over the Old Road, both in winter and summer, has been clearly ascertained.—There are good bridges over all the other waters but the Delaware, and here the crossing is performed with great safety and in less than half the time required at the Trenton Ferry. The road is *several miles shorter* than the old road, but this is amongst the least of its advantages, because daily experience proves to us, that dispatch as well as comfort in travelling principally depend on the goodness of the road and the levelness of the country, and, in these respects, the New Road is, beyond all comparison, the best. It presents none of those rocky hills, which render the Old Road so fatiguing between the Delaware and Newark. The soil, too, for the greater part, is such as to produce but little mud in winter, and very little dust in summer, which circumstance, added to the beauty of the country, and a considerable proportion of shade, must always render travelling in the latter season peculiarly agreeable.

The Swift Sure starts from PHILADELPHIA, at 6 o'clock every morning (Sundays excepted) from the *GREEN TREE*, opposite the Lutheran Church, North Fourth street. It goes through Frankford to Bustleton, where it stops to Breakfast; from Bustletown it goes through Newtown to Penny-town to dinner; from Penny-town through Hopewell, Millstone, Bound-brook, Quibbletown and Plainfield to Scotch Plains to lodge. The next morning it stops at Springfield to breakfast, from whence it goes through Newark and arrives at New-York at noon.

From NEW-YORK it starts at 3 o'clock in the afternoon (from Paulus Hook) and arrives at Philadelphia the next evening. For seats at New-York, application may be made to Edward Bardin, Old Coffee house, to A. Mathieu, corner of Nassau and John streets, to [illegible]ny, no. 48, Courtlandt, corner of Greens[illegible]et, and to Michael Little, at his hotel, no. 42, Broad street.

Fare for passengers, *Five Dollars.*

Way passengers 6 *Cents per Mile.*

Each passenger is allowed to take on 14lbs. of baggage carriage free; but all other baggage, taken on by a passenger, will be charged at 4 cents per pound weight.

With respect to packages sent on without passengers, the proprietors presume they have adopted a regulation, which, though unknown to other lines of stages, they think must meet with general approbation, They pledge themselves to make good every package on the following conditions. The person who delivers the package at the office shall see it entered in the stage-book, for which entry he shall pay 6 cents; he will then state the value of the package, and pay (exclusive of the carriage) one per cent. on the value, as insurance, and for which he will receive a receipt. Thus, for instance, if he estimates his package at one dollar, he will pay one cent. and if at one hundred dollars, he will pay one dollar insurance, and in like proportion for packages of any other value.

Very few persons it is presumed, will dislike this regulation; it will however, be optionable with every one to avail himself of this security or not. But the proprietors think it right to state very explicitly, that they will be responsible for the safe delivery of no package, which is not regularly entered, and for which an insurance receipt cannot be produced.

In the distribution of the route, the greatest care has been taken to fix on such places and taverns as always afford a good accommodation and entertainment for the passengers at the most reasonable rates. The stages are well equipped furnished with fleet and steady horses, and committed to the care of intelligent sober and obliging drivers. The proprietors themselves live at the different towns and villages where the stages will stop, so that the conduct of the persons they employ is continually an object of their attention.—They take care also to see that the passengers are well provided for and politely treated at the taverns, and that no sort of chicanery or insolence is practised upon them; in short, they have spared neither pains nor expence to render the SWIFT-SURE the very best line of stages in America.

The line has now run nearly a month, during which time a great number of gentlemen have gone through, both from Philadelphia and New-York. Every passenger has found the road to surpass very far all that has been said of its excellence; and the Proprietors of the Swift Sure are extremely happy to hear the behaviou of their drivers, and the treatment at Taverns spoken of with the highest satisfaction.

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